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AMENDMENT A

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of September 26, 2005, please amend the captioned patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification. There are no Amendments to the Specification.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.